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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Yukio MAKI

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Examiner: Douglas W. Owens

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THE SAME

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

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6	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	5	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	1	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
		Multiple claims newly presented			\$0.00
	Fee for extension of time			\$120.00	
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